

# The Port Arthur News

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## Red Cross Asks for Fairy Godfathers for Christmas Poor

CHRISTMAS with its holly and mistletoe, its trees and decorations, its festivities and toys, means nothing to almost 300 families of Port Arthur who are unable, because of financial reverses, to participate in the spirit of Yuletide.

Christmas promises to be just Tuesday—a holiday without the vestige of the cheer which will come to the remainder of Port Arthur on that day. Santa Claus will pass up a house here and there throughout Port Arthur.

Stockings of the children will remain unfilled, little tots may go hungry here on the day the remainder of the nation rejoices.

Officials of the Port Arthur Chapter of the

Red Cross have on file a list of 275 families who will be unable to observe the Yuletide season. The hands of the needy are outstretched to Port Arthur asking assistance.

They are the needy to whom Christmas has little to offer—this year.

Perhaps as you read this, sitting in slippers comfort beside your fireplace with the youngsters on your lap, some youngster, just like you, draws more tightly a tattered east-off coat, shuffles a bit, in a vain effort to keep warm.

Dad or mother, perhaps, is sick—out of work—and Benny cannot understand it. His run-down shoes, ragged cap, are strange to him.

Dad has always been working.

No tree, no presents, scarcely enough in the cupboard to exist on.

If some kind godfather could only speak to Santa Claus for him and little Natalie. He is sure everything would be all right. He does not realize that there are 275 more families in the same circumstances. Not 275 individuals, but families with children ranging in number from two to ten, and in age from one year to 12.

Numerous firms have proffered their assistance. Individuals have been good in volunteering their aid, but Christmas will not be Christmas to Port Arthur's needy unless Port Arthur makes it Christmas, Red Cross officials say.

If circumstances were reversed, the needy might be the first to offer aid to you. They are not the professional poor. The names are new ones on the Red Cross files. Members of the Shrine club and the El Mina Temple of Galveston had together contributed \$125 toward this work here.

Will you be some family's godfather just for a night? Christmas day the goodies will taste sweeter, the children's cries of joy will seem more joyful, and the world in general will seem to breathe a rosier hue if you but step into the breach and save Christmas for a needy family.

The Red Cross, mother of humanity, makes this appeal today.

## Ford Declares for Coolidge

### WIELDS AX ON HIS OWN BOOM

Announcement Follows Visit to White House

CONFERENCE OFF

Cryptic Speech Puts Consternation in 'Club' Ranks

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 19.—Henry Ford today declared himself in favor of President Coolidge's re-election.

"I'm for Coolidge," the manufacturer said casually, and in that brief phrase effectively disposed of his own presidential campaign.

The announcement spread consternation in the ranks of the auto magnate's political camp.

Ford sometime ago asserted he would support President Coolidge if he were re-elected. Since that time he has visited the executive at the White House.

### Seeks Divorce on Claim Hubby Offers Her to Negro for \$500,000

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Dec. 19.—Hurling that her husband, Elmer La Mare, motion picture and theatrical man, tried to sell her to a negro for \$500,000 Mrs. Helen La Mare of Long Beach today filed a sensational divorce complaint in court here.

Mrs. Mary Ella Howe Holder, a wealthy Dallas, Texas, banker's widow, is named as co-respondent in the action. A portion of her husband's asserted \$400,000 estate is asked.

Lou Harris Baker, wealthy negro gambler of Juarez, Mexico, is the man to whom her husband sought to sell her, Mrs. La Mare charged.

### TEXAS FOES TILT IN TRIAL OF FOX

Lone Star Attorney Pass Lie in Court

FOX 'FEARED COBURN'

Believed Klan Chief Would Expose Him, Testimony

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 19.—Information concerning alleged misconduct with women of Phil E. Fox, was given to W. S. Coburn shortly before the latter was shot down according to testimony presented today in trial of Fox on charges of committing the murder.

Ed Simmons, an investigator for Coburn, who was chief attorney for the Simmons faction of the Ku Klux Klan, declared he submitted evidence to the lawyer showing Fox had been arrested at a local hotel while in company with Mrs. Margaret Weaver and giving other evidence of alleged misconduct.

### Fox, His Wife and Kin of Victim



(Above): Philip E. Fox, former Ku Klux Klan publicity agent, with his wife in courtroom of Fulton county court, Atlanta, Ga. Fox is on trial for the killing of Captain W. S. Coburn, Klan official in the latter's office. (Below): Miss Zoe Coburn (left) and Mrs. W. S. Coburn, Coburn's daughter and widow.

### 4 Towns Disappear, 400 Dead in Quake On Ecuador Border

Volcanic Activity Triggers Panic in Stricken Zone—Unburied Dead Clutter Area

BOGOTA, Colombia, Dec. 19.—The towns of Cumbal, Alajuela and Caraboma have completely disappeared as a result of last week's severe earthquake, according to messages from the stricken zone along the Ecuador border today.

"Volcanic activity continues," the messages said.

Hundreds dangerously hurt.

"The people in the devastated region face starvation.

"Citizens are forming armed groups of vigilantes to protect themselves against gangs of bandits who are looting ruins."

### WHEN I WAS 20

When I was 20 I was working as head checker in the lumber yard at the Texas Company's terminals here for the first part of the year, and then went over to the Gulf Refining company's clerk in A. D. Morgan's office. That was seven years ago.

### LOHMAN FORMS CAMPAIGN BODY

Personnel For C. of C. Budget Drive Withheld

Ed Lohmann, general chairman of the Chamber of Commerce budget drive which will be inaugurated here January 10, following a mammoth banquet, today was working out the personnel of the general campaign committee which, under his supervision will have direct charge of the drive to raise the \$40,000 necessary to conduct Chamber of Commerce work here during 1934.

Banquet to Proceed Drive

### CHARGE WOMAN WITH MURDER

Marinas Vargas Accused in Man's Death

Charges of murder this afternoon were filed, police said, against Marinas Vargas, alleged by police to have been with Refugio Vargas at the time he was fatally shot Sunday afternoon in a West Sixteenth street address. Vargas' brother filed the charges.

The woman has been in custody under the orders of Justice of the Peace W. J. James since Sunday following the discovery of the body of Vargas.

### 2 COURIERS FOR SANTA KILLED

Use Plane to Prevent Delay of Doll for Daughter

TEMPLE, Texas, Dec. 19.—Capt. H. L. Smith, aviation instructor, took a plane to Santa Claus, Ark., today to deliver a doll for a girl's daughter who was killed in a plane crash.

Thief's wife was burned almost beyond recognition, when a plane crashed into a tree and fell to the ground in a fire near here yesterday.

### Y. M. B. L. Asks More Donors For Xmas Tree

Two additional subscriptions today augmented the fund of the Y. M. B. L. for their Christmas tree Monday at the Plaza hotel when the children of the city will be treated to a magnificent Santa Claus.

Plans were completed yesterday for the staging of the affair at 7 o'clock Christmas eve on the lawn of the hotel with a real live Santa Claus on hand to hand out the presents for the tots.

### SCOUT COUNCIL WILL MEET FRIDAY NIGHT

A meeting of the Port Arthur Boy Scout Council's executive board, is called for Friday night at 7 o'clock in the American Legion club rooms on Lake Shore drive, word from Scout headquarters said today. The board expects to meet all Scouts who have been ready to go up for ratings, but was unable to attend previous sessions of the board of the Council of Honor Awards of higher ratings.

### ATTACK TAX ON THEATRICAL SHOWS

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 19.—Submission was made Wednesday in the court of criminal appeals in the case of expert J. C. Blair from Johnson county, attacking the constitutionality of the act of the last legislature fixing a graduated tax on traveling theatrical shows.

### FIRE DEAD LIST MOUNTS TO FIVE

9 Still Missing in Houston Hotel Fire

HOUSTON, Texas, Dec. 19.—A fifth body was taken off today from the ruins of the Capital Hotel, destroyed in an early morning fire yesterday. It was badly decomposed and unrecognizable.

### BELIEVE MOTHER 'KIDNAPED' GIRL

Beaumont Police Voice Their Theory in Case

BEAUMONT, Texas, Dec. 19.—Belief today was voiced by police that the kidnapping yesterday morning of the daughter of C. H. Hastings of this city was a misadventure attempt of the mother to see the child.

It was understood that Hastings left the child in custody of a neighbor yesterday morning when he left for work, the child being taken from the neighbor's house while he was away.

### CONFER WITH HIGHWAY BODY

Approve Contract For Neches Bridge at \$350,000

BEAUMONT, Texas, Dec. 19.—County Judge H. B. Johnson, Commissioner J. F. McDonald, County Engineer Love and E. C. Bracken of the Chamber of Commerce returned to Beaumont Tuesday after a conference with the state highway commission relative to the construction of the Neches river bridge. The commission approved the contract for construction of the bridge to cost \$350,000, with federal aid to the amount of \$175,000. Jefferson County will appropriate \$117,000 and state aid will total \$252,000.

### PROBABLY RAIN

LOCAL FORECAST: Tonight and Thursday uncertain, probably rain, somewhat warmer Thursday.

FOR EAST TEXAS: Unsettled tonight and Thursday, probably rain in east and north portions, somewhat warmer Thursday.

FOR LOUISIANA: Unsettled, probably rain tonight and Thursday, little change in temperature.

WINDS ON TEXAS COAST: Moderate southwest and north probably shifting to southerly Thursday.

### TRAIN WRECK INJURES FEW IN FLYER CRASH

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Scores of persons were thrown about and bruised when the Atlantic express, a crack Pennsylvania railroad flyer, crashed into a box car while going at high speed at Schuerville, Ind., 35 miles from here at midnight last night.

John Williams, engineer and Frank Robertson, fireman, were injured but not seriously.

### NO TURK OIL

Kemal Annule Chesters' Concession

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 19.—The Turkish government of Mustafa Kemal has annulled the Chesters' agreement.

The reason given is that Admiral Chester and his associates failed to comply with stipulations of the concession requiring them to begin work on a railroad between Samsun and Rize within a certain time.

### REPORT MEXICAN ARMY

Overseas Forces Still in East, Says News Agency

By United Press

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 19.—(10:45 p.m.)—Mexican forces were very busy in Mexico City today, their planes flying over the city, their troops marching in the streets, and their ships in the harbor.

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## Pinkerton, Sleuth King, Takes Secrets to Grave

Terror of Criminals Leaves No Memoirs Other Than Those Woven By Career

Westward, Ho!



CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—When William A. Pinkerton, internationally known detective, was laid to rest here, there was buried with him a wealth of secrets which would furnish the writer of detective stories with material for a life time.

"The Eye," as Pinkerton was known throughout the world, never talked "shop." He never discussed his methods, methods which struck terror in the hearts of criminals on the one hand and made him a friend to those who went straight.

His death in a Los Angeles hotel closed the last chapter of a life for which publishers offered fabulous sums. But Pinkerton, his friends declared, will leave no memoirs other than those that have been woven about him during his life time.

They center most closely about the theatrical profession. He was an inveterate "first-nighter," and a personal friend of almost every prominent figure on the stage with in the past fifty years. He was unable to purchase a theater ticket anywhere—for every manager and producer had presented him with a life time pass to the theater.

Pinkerton, a son of Allan P. Pinkerton, founder of the detective agency known throughout the world, found his first great fame when he recovered the famous "Gainsborough" painting, "The Duchess of Devonshire," which had been stolen from the London galleries. It was delivered to him in the Auditorium hotel in Chicago.

Pinkerton also recovered \$25,000 worth of jewels stolen from the late William Russell. How, he never revealed.

His wide knowledge of criminal psychology caused Scotland Yard detective to request Pinkerton to assist them at the coronation of King George, where it was feared an attempt might be made to assassinate the British monarch.

Pinkerton was born in Dundee, Ill. 77 years ago, and attended Notre Dame college. During the Civil war he served under his father who organized the secret service.

In the days following the war, bank robberies were common. The youthful Pinkerton took the study of this branch of criminology and became a relentless ferret of the bank bandit. He often spent \$20,000 to capture a thief who had not taken more than \$100. He was a terror to confidence men and, it is said, he knew more international mysteries than any man of his day.

A pink wildcat was captured by the Rockies. Perhaps it was blushing because it was so wild.

## 22 NATIONS CUT FUNDS FOR WAR

England Leads, With France Second

GENEVA, Dec. 19.—At least 22 of the leading nations of the world have during the past two years reduced their military, naval and aerial budgets.

During the coming two years an even greater reduction is now assured. The League of Nations has just issued a summary of statistics from all of the principal budgets on the status of their armament budgets up to the end of the current fiscal year.

The statistics show that as a matter of fact at least 22 nations not only have not increased their armaments budgets during the past two years but have actually brought about reductions.

England makes the best showing, as her 1921-22 armament budget of 212,000,000 pounds has been brought down to 132,000,000 pounds for the 1923-24 period.

France has also made a most serious reduction in armament budgets. From a national defense expenditure of 3,255,000,000 francs in 1922 was 3,255,000,000 francs, while the national defense budget as voted for 1923 is only 3,753,000,000 francs.

In Holland the total defense expenditure has fallen from 100,000,000 florins in 1921 to 105,000,000 florins in 1923.

GOPHER TRAPPERS CLEAN UP \$571 IN FIVE WEEKS

COTTONWOOD FALLS, Kans., Dec. 19.—F. W. Cochran, 19 years old, is not working over the fact that good jobs may be a bit scarce.

He has been trapping gophers for the past five weeks, during the past five weeks he has caught a total of 2530 gophers on which the game collected a bounty of something like \$255.00. In addition to the bounty money, the farmers on whose land the gophers have been caught have added a like sum.

An executive committee of five was named to conduct the organization campaign. Officers of the organization committee of 50 also will meet with the executive committee.

Wieland was elected as the headquarters for the pool. An initiation fee of \$10 for members was fixed by the executive committee, which met immediately after the original committee organized.

MISS MEDAH LEE BECK wish to announce the opening of her PIANO STUDIO

Special attention given children and beginners.

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Sleeping, Walking, Talking and Mama Dolls

59c, 98c, \$1.19 to \$15

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## GIRL'S NOTE FOUND BESIDE DEAD YOUTH

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 19.—The body of Charles F. Steinberg of New York City, a University of Pennsylvania freshman, was found in his dormitory room with a bullet through the temple.

The find was a pistol with one chamber discharged and a note, signed "Mary," which read:

"Sorry we could not say goodbye. Police were not prepared to say whether death was due to accident or murder."

PARKER RANCHMAN IS SUED BY COUPLE

WEATHERFORD, Texas, Dec. 19.—E. E. Curtis and wife, Effie Curtis, have filed suit against J. N. McNay, Parker county ranchman, for \$10,000 for alleged damages caused by her treatment and abusive language over a contract entered into for period of one year.

An injunction has been granted by Judge F. O. McKines in which McNay is restrained from going upon the property or interfering with plaintiffs during the term of a contract which expires next March.

SIX CENTS DAMAGE IS SLANDER VERDICT

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Both sides won in the case of Mary Deschauer, 15 years old, and Ethel Clark, daughter of a neighbor in Secaucus, N. J., when they sued each other's families in the Hudson county circuit court, Jersey City.

Through her mother, Emma Deschauer, to recover damages from Ethel, the latter, not to be outdone, sued John Deschauer, father of Mary, on the ground that he had made remarks reflecting on her character. The jury, after being out a short while, ordered a verdict for both sides.

## PALMER GIRL HURT IN KEROSENE BLAZE

PALMER, Texas, Dec. 19.—Miss Evelyn Jones, 18 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Jones, narrowly escaped a serious accident here in starting a fire, when she threw some kerosene in the stove, which blazed up, burning her face, hair, eyes, brows and nose.

ONE MONTH ENOUGH MARRIAGE FOR HER

NEWARK, Dec. 19.—At the end of a 30-day honeymoon, Irene Oliver, 19-year-old, returned here to her husband, Eugene G. Oliver of Newark, who has instituted divorce proceedings in the Newark district court.

Oliver told Vice Chancellor Hicks that they were married March 28, 1917, and that his bride deserted him on April 27 of the same year.

## LARGE ALBANY BARN DESTROYED BY FIRE

ALBANY, Texas, Dec. 19.—Fire of undetermined origin destroyed one of the best implement barns in this county. The ranch boss saved 27 head of registered Hereford calves, 50 cows and 10 head of horses and mules. The largest loss was in hay, there being 12,500 bales. The barn belonged to John F. Selwick. There was insurance.

INTER-CHURCH MOVE TO DISSOLVE BEGUN

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—A petition and motion for the voluntary dissolution of the interchurch world movement of North America was filed in the supreme court here, and notice was served for argument before Justice William P. Barr.

## ST. LOUIS PROBES IN TAXES ON TRAIL

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 19.—Attorney Alexander announced today that "a red-hot trail" had been discovered which was not paved with immunity for taxpayers who have had illegal alterations made in their tax records. He refused to state whether any one in the assessor's office had come forward with state's evidence but declared it was not going to be necessary to grant immunity to all of the 50 beneficiaries in the forged tax reductions. The beneficiaries are as criminally liable as the person or persons who had altered the records for pay, he declared.

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Rio, light or dark roast, 3 lbs	\$1.00
Breakfasts Cup	1 lb 40c; 2 lb 75c
Green Peaberry, 4 1-2 lb	\$1.00
Green Rio, 5 1-2 lb	\$1.00

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YOUR ENTIRE MAMMOTH STOCK, COMPOSED OF MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND BOYS'

Choice Ready-to-Wear Must Be Sold REGARDLESS OF COST

Bargains for Ladies'

Suits and Coats, regular \$35.00 to \$69.00 values, sale price \$13.48 to \$22.50.

200 Capes \$3.96 up. 300 Sweaters \$1.98 to \$4.74. Furs \$3.00 up.

All \$19.50 to \$39.50 Dresses, sale price \$7.98 to \$19.50.

Skirts and Petticoats \$1.88 up. Other great values not listed here.

Bargains for Men

Fine all wool, tailored suits and overcoats regular price \$45.00 and \$50.00, sale price

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Boy's Two Pants Suits

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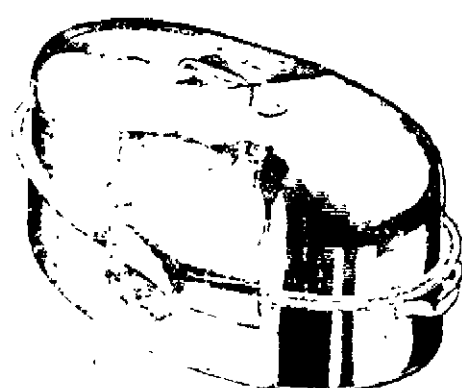
Jones-O'Neal's Thursday Extra Flyers

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Child's bed, opening sale price from \$5.45 up; you will have to see them to appreciate their value.

\$3.98 up



This big aluminum water pitcher will be sold Friday and Saturday morning from 9 to 11 at only

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\$1.50

Attractive styles in felt with soft moosehide soles.

Hi-lo Felt With Cuff Top \$2.00

Colored Felt with cuff top in contrasting colors.

Felt Slippers With Leather Sole

\$2.25 \$2.50

Sole leather soles and leather heels on slipper of dark-colored felt.



# RE-WRITE OLD TESTAMENT

Medical Experts to Follow Work of Goodspeed

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 19. (Herald)—The University of Chicago is about to take up the re-translation of the Bible. The work is being done by Dr. Edgar J. ...

## Amusements

SCHEDULE OF AMUSEMENTS

**WEDNESDAY**  
Peoples: "Six Days" with Corinne Griffith and Frank Mayo starred. Peas: "Mothers-in-Law" starring Ruth Clifford.  
Strand: Musical comedy, "Peaceful Valley" and Katherine McDonald in "Lonely Road."  
Liberty: Gladys Walton starred in "The Entomable."  
Green Ties: "Broadway Gold" and Ep. 11 of "Steel Trail."

**THURSDAY**

Peoples: "Six Days" starring Corinne Griffith and Frank Mayo. Strand: Musical bill, "Peaceful Valley" and Katherine McDonald in "Lonely Road."  
Peas: "Mothers-in-Law" with Ruth Clifford featured.  
Liberty: "Timothy's Guest" with an all-star cast featured.  
Green Ties: "Broadway Trail" with Duster Fox, and "Fighting Blood."

**"SIX DAYS"**

In "Six Days" in the Peoples, the beautiful and charming Corinne Griffith leads the cast as Lulu King, a young American girl engaged to Sir Charles Chetwyn, a wealthy Englishman. Frank Mayo is featured with Miss Griffith in the role of Dion Leslie, the lover. Claude King is Sir Charles, and Myrtle Stebbins, the girl model. Other important roles are played by Maude George, Sports ...

Wanda Aitken, Charles Gray and Evelyn Walsh Mall.

Married to Sir Charles Chetwyn, at the request of her mother for financial and social reasons, the young American girl, Lulu, loves her heart to Dion Leslie, son of a famous actor, appearing in Paris. They are imprisoned, along with a priest who acted as their guide, in a German dungeon which collapses when a secret mine explodes by knocking a three-ton bomb. Facing death, the lovers are married by the priest. In their efforts to escape, after the death of the priest, they fall into a chasm, become separated and eventually both are rescued. Believing Dion dead, Lulu is forced by her mother to marry Sir Charles. How the lovers are united forms the big exciting climax to the picture.

**MOVIE TEARS REAL NOW**

"And they all wept glycerine." There was a time, and not so long ago, when those words were justified. But glycerine, as a basis for the picture tear, has become a tradition. Unfortunately, like most traditions, it remains a fiction long after its cause had ceased to exist. Now, in the "Quiet Hours," and sympathetic discussion of the story after are used to bring about the desired effect, says Guerner, director of "Mothers-in-Law," a society drama now playing at the Pearce theatre.

News from Munich. They are eating dogs. Next time your dog barks threatened to eat him.

## White Deer Escaped the Hunters This Year

PORT WORTH, Texas, Dec. 19.—Wild life amid the forests and upon the plains of Texas is said to be fleeing in terror across the wide-flung borders of the state. The great egret is said to be occasioned by the appearance in the field of two great animals of mighty color and merriment. Chatterly Snow, who, when not ruthlessly slaughtering grizzlies and things, works at the no less dangerous task of city secretary in Port Worth, said the white deer which were originally routed over Fort Worth and vicinity, have thought their itinerant and now swelling this neighborhood by chasing far to the west of the Rockies. They are said to be the streamers are said to have looked up until the own season is over. Unlabeled, however, by those reports, the two great Fort Worth animals are said to be chasing their deadly and unerring weapons, and making further plans to go forth and slaughter.

Withers, whose tales of bald-headed escapes in field and forest have often been backed up against the wall and blushed to death.

One instance of their might is reflected in the appearance of a deer sent staggering across the Barbecue road, to reappear later in Evermann. The animal appeared to be exhausted, but as someone in a passing motor car happened to mention the Withers, the animal perked up its ears and made a streak over the western horizon. The very name filling the worried creature with undignified terror.

In Mexico, Huerta wants to fight the Mexican, Mexico is making her New Year resolutions, and ...

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**MARILLO DEPOSITS GAIN ONE MILLION**  
MARILLO, Texas, Dec. 19.—(Herald)—The ...

**COME TO SEE US IN Our New Home**

We extend to the people of Port Arthur a cordial invitation to visit us in our new home at Houston and Sixth street. Our store is new throughout and is now overflowing with beautiful furniture of every description.

**On Christmas Make It a Gift of Furniture**

As a gift, what is more practical, more serviceable and always welcome as a piece of furniture?

And here is the store that is specially prepared by its presentation of things needful at prices that invite a visit here.

**Toys for the Kiddies**

Our toy department has just what the little boys and girls want Santa to bring. Every toy that you can think is here—a beautiful lot of dolls is included.

**Don't Forget—We Are In Our New Home**

**Taylor's Hardware and Furniture Co.**  
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**You'll See What She Wants Through the Shop-o-scope**

Of course, the poet was wrong when he said that women were "fickle, coy and hard to please"—but all the same it's a problem to know just what they'll really like for Christmas.

It's a problem, that is, unless you look for her present through the Shop-o-scope—the "Christmas Gift Suggestions" columns in the Classified Section—and make a quick, skillful selection.

Some women will most appreciate jewelry, others electric household appliances—some clothes, others books or toilet accessories. But all these things—and many others—are awaiting your inspection through the Shop-o-scope.

She will be glad that you took this sensible way of selecting just what she wanted!

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Get ready for Christmas the classified way.

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(Over Radio to Hal M. Cochran)

TOYLAND North Pole Dec. 19.

DEAR BOY AND GIRL:

I am here at a brand new little desk

that some boy or girl is going to get

for Christmas. Myself, I am running

back and forth in front of me as busy

as any be.

One of them borrowed a wheelbar-

row from the Toy Land workshop and

he is carrying big adjusted blocks to be

put in big boxes.

Another, who is fond of all animals,

is in charge of the elephants, dogs,

cats and camels that are moving

into Noah's Ark.

My goodness, what was that noise?

Excuse me a minute while I help

the Milguts pick up a whole load of

rubber balls. The bottom fell out of

the cardboard box that held them.

I wish you could see all of these

balls. One of them has a picture of

a teddy bear on it. My, but it looks

cute! And another has letters and

numbers on it. The letters spell

"CHRISTMAS" and that's just about

what you can have with this ball

if you get it.

For the tiny tots I have had made

little head boards. It's fun to push

the beads back and forth and it's

also easy to learn how to count as

you push them.

Over in the corner of this big toy

room is a great pile of flat boxes.

Each one is a game of some sort. I'd

like to tell you about every one of

them, but that would spoil the fun

of finding out for yourself on Christ-

mas morning.

I'll tell you all about the express

wagons, kiddie cars, roller skates and

skis tomorrow. Sincerely,

SANTA CLAUS.

CHESTER A. BRIGHAM

LOSES YOUNG WIFE

HOUGHTON, Mass., Dec. 19.—

Chester A. Brigham of Boston, a

church organist of note, accompanied

by two detectives, raided a three-

room bungalow here and found his

young wife, Helen, and Wallace J.

Smith, son of a wealthy Boston fam-

ily. He charged Mrs. Brigham, for-

merly Helen L. Brown, of Milton

Mass., traveled 3000 miles to Yancou-

ver, B. C., to wed three years ago.

The young organist filed suit for di-

vorce.

LIPSTICKS

Chemists have been busy and a New

York firm marketing lipsticks flavored

cherry, peach, pomegranate and straw-

berry. This will make the kiss taste

less like tallow—for which blessing the

inventor certainly should get one of

the Nobel prizes.

## Scientists Promise Great Revelations At Annual Session

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 19.—Im-

portant discoveries, far beyond the

present scope of science, are to be re-

vealed for the first time at the 77th

annual meeting of the American As-

sociation for the Advancement of

Science opening here Dec. 27.

Prof. Harris Hancock, of the as-

sociation's Cincinnati committee, an-

nounced that revelations of vital im-

portance to the advancement of civil-

ization will be made in several fields

of science represented in the conven-

tion.

Local members of the association,

however, declined to give any advance

information as to the nature of the dis-

coveries to be announced.

The convention, meeting in 15 ses-

sions and representing practically

every branch of scientific study and

development, will continue through to

Jan. 2, 1935. The University of Cin-

cinnati is host to the gathering—is ar-

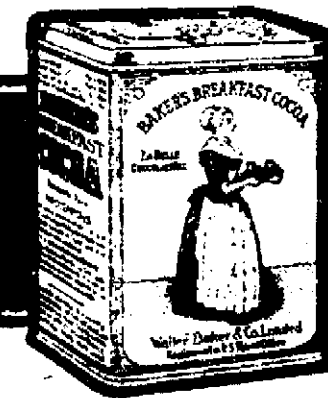
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SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 19.—The University of Washington has received from Mrs. A. H. Anderson, widow of a pioneer lumberman of Seattle, \$250,000 to be expended for a building to be called "The Alfred H. Anderson Hall of the College of Forestry" in memory of her husband. The building will be constructed at once.

MAN DIES, AGED 73; DANCED LAST BIRTHDAY

MARION CITY, Ia., Dec. 19.—James E. Mott, pioneer Marion City resident is dead at his home here. He was several times a candidate for mayor and during his campaign last spring he did a waltz dance before a big audience to prove that although he was 73 years old he was still sprightly enough to be mayor. He was born in County Cork, Ireland, and had been in the United States 48 years.

20-YEAR BURGLARY SENTENCE IS UPHELD

DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 19.—Word

was received in Dallas Wednesday of residence of F. E. Kunt on February the affirmation of sentence of 20 years. The court of criminal appeals, given to Robert Emerson, convicted of the burglary of the private error in the case.



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4 cans Del Monte Tomato Sauce . . . . .25

2 cans Tall Table Sliced Peaches . . . . .25

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## Deliveryman Hawks Girls Dollies' For Booze

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 19.—Lloyd

Mason was a backslider in the ranks

of Santa Claus.

Mason, hired to deliver dolls for a

department store Santa, admitted

stealing four dolls and three car-

riages which he was supposed to de-

liver to good little girls. He was

arrested while trailing the stolen

goods for a quart of whiskey, and

fined \$50.

GOLF B-215

United States Golf association

takes steps to change the official golf

ball. The new one will have the

same minimum diameter as at present.

But the weight (now 1.02 ounces)

will be reduced to 1.52 ounces. No

definite decision has yet been reached

but the association is experimenting

and has communicated its intention

to the Royal and Ancient Golf club

committee in England.

This is news of extreme importance

—if you are one among the millions

of golf enthusiasts. Tinkering with

the official golf ball or baseball seems

to be as grave a matter as checking

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# WOMAN DENIES ILLICIT AFFAIR

## Victim of Frameup, Jailed Girl Insists.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 19.—Miss Mary Tompkins, 20, who was arrested Saturday on a charge of burglary, declared today in an interview here that she is innocent of the crime.

Miss Tompkins was arrested Saturday on a charge of burglary brought by the authorities in connection with the confession of J. Ray Tompkins, held on a charge of first degree murder, that he killed his wife, Mrs. Ora Belle Tompkins, December 6.

According to the story told by the woman today, she is not guilty of the charge against her, declaring she was seduced and pawned by Tompkins in his effort to take his wife to divorce him.

**Surprised by Wife**

Tompkins and Miss Witmeyer were arrested by detectives employed by Mrs. Tompkins to trace the activities of her husband in a room in the apartment house where Mrs. Tompkins made her home. Miss Witmeyer said she went there when Tompkins threatened to commit suicide or kill her if she did not accompany him.

When they arrived at the apartment house, Tompkins led her to a room and when she entered, he began to undress at her clothing while she defended herself against his attack. She said she could not resist. Suddenly, two detectives with Mrs. Tompkins appeared.

Miss Witmeyer declared the only impropriety in her act was accompanying Tompkins to the apartment house, which she did under threats. After the detectives and Mrs. Tompkins had confronted them, Tompkins said, urged her to sign a statement admitting seduction, "the only thing to do."

**Forced to Quit School**

She declared that she continued in fear of Tompkins and that he continued to bother her, his attentions causing her to be forced to give up a teaching position in the Milwaukee schools.

The question of Tompkins' sanity occupied the attention of authorities today. Dr. Stanley Blanton, assistant professor of neurology at the University of Wisconsin, examined Tompkins last May and found him sane, but in his opinion at the time was that the man had a paranoid personality.

In Dr. Blanton's report he declared that Tompkins was the type which might be driven insane, and that he would have to "take care of himself."

George Shagness, district attorney, continued his investigation of reasons for Tompkins' release from the emergency hospital here after his admission to the institution November 8, 1932.

# SOUTH SEA ISLE DECLARED EDEN

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 19.—The finest hotel rooms at the rate of 75 cents a day—excellent meals for 25 to 50 cents—luxurious existences for \$50 a month—and, most importantly, the finest of unspoiled French cuisine and wines for 90 cents to \$1.20 a quart—this was part of the alluring story of life in the South Sea Islands, as brought back to dry Los Angeles by Hugh P. Condit, state supreme court clerk for the Los Angeles office, who has just returned from a cruise of several months in the South Seas, with Papeete, capital of Tahiti, and the coral center of the Society Islands, as a base.

Condit declared that nothing ever written of the marvellous scenery and charm of the Society group of islands could compare with the reality. Tahiti itself, he said, is as yet unspoiled by hordes of invading tourists.

# EXPORTS OF CANADA RAPIDLY INCREASE

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 19.—A next-door neighbor that is a heavy exporter is bound to be a good customer. This is true of Canada with respect to the United States. In point of per capita exports she stands third among the nations of the world, being exceeded in this particular only by nations of much smaller population. During the fiscal year 1932 Canada's exports were \$100,000,000 per capita, as compared with \$69,964 for the United Kingdom and \$34,330 for the United States.

The rate at which her exports have increased during the last decade is worthy of special note, for as with the increase in population, there is every reason to think that the maintenance of her exports will be maintained, her potentialities as a customer this year being large.

In 1913 with a per capita export trade of \$37.95 Canada stood seventh among the nations. In the aggregate her increase was \$436,218,000 to \$884,363,000 for the respective calendar years 1913 and 1932. This was equal to 103 per cent, a rate that was exceeded only by Japan's of 147 per cent.

# WIFE DIVORCES MAN WHEN TRUST IS GONE

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 19.—You cannot trust me out of your sight and where I am not trusted I cannot stay.


This was the parting message of Wray H. Mason to his wife, Lois E. Mason, read in evidence in superior court when Judge Hammerfield granted the wife a divorce.

Mrs. Mason testified she had never had a quarrel with her husband, but in spite of this he wrote her a letter which read in part:

"I am going away. I do not know where. I cannot stand it the way you and I get along, as we can't get any more without quarreling."

New Yorker sues his wife for lost love. Values it at \$100,000. Should have taken better care of it.

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**FOOTPRINT PROOF  
UPHELD BY COURT**

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 19.—Compelling a prisoner to fit his shoes into tracks near the scene of a burglary, is a practical method of obtaining evidence against the defendant, the court in criminal appeals held in "The People vs. Lonnie Rayson of Tarrant county." He was sentenced to two years for burglary. A constable compelled Rayson to step in the tracks near a burglary which had been committed. Rayson's feet are said to have fit the tracks exactly and he was convicted, though protesting against this method of obtaining evidence.

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# No Barbarism in Adornment; Women Must Be Beautiful!

**Berkeley, Calif., Dec. 19.**—As the huge, dangling, brilliantly colored and bejeweled ear adornments barbarous?

Professor R. H. Lowie of the anthropology department of the University of California declares that American women should not be criticized for the ever-increasing size of the earrings now in vogue any more than their sisters in darkest Africa.

"American women, as well as Fiji Islanders, only want to make themselves beautiful, and what, after all, is so barbarous in that?" asks Professor Lowie, who is an authority on the customs and characteristics of all races for many thousands of years.

"The only difference between the earrings is the cost," declared Professor Lowie. "Since earliest times all races and tribes have worn earrings, both men and women."

"The men, of course, have stopped doing it now, probably because they are compelled to devote their time and nights to earning money to pay for the adornment of the women."

In defense of the eternal feminine against masculine criticism, Professor Lowie says that making oneself beautiful is a mild pastime and that whatever men say about it they enjoy psychologically seeing wives and sweethearts with artistic earrings.

"South African maidens usually wear circles of small beads strung on wire in their ears," continued the Berkeley savant. "More ambitious than the American woman, they frequently wear twenty or thirty in one ear."

"But who can tell? Maybe some day young women will come walking into my classes with three or four pairs in one ear. They are now shingling their hair like the Filipino Tapisers."

"But leave them alone," concluded Professor Lowie, "let them do anything to make themselves more beautiful."



# Work Hard and Be Foolish to Live Long

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 19.—Work hard and be foolish if you would live to be 100 or thereabouts.

This is the advice of Jean Wallace Butler, 73, Chicago club woman, who has bought a show place in Beverly Hills and will make her home there.

"Work hard and be foolish," said the new-comer, who wants to be known as Jean. "Why, when we know how to work hard enough and live happy enough, we will never die. It's all wrong for us to think this body should be outlived by the mind. Science will someday solve the problem, and when it does it will be nothing but a question of proper work and plenty of healthy recreation."

"Love is another thing which should enter into our lives early and stay late."

"Keep a live interest in something all the time. Don't have time to brood and you won't have time to grow old. Thinking about one's self brings gray hair. Thinking about others keeps crow's feet from the face."

# MY WORD YELLOW TAXIS, WHAT NEXT?

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Now appears the yellow taxi on Piccadilly and Trafalgar Square, to give British conservatism another jolt and cause the lion to emit one more wild roar as to the menace of the American invasion.

Through the enterprise of an American promoter, 500 of the yellow cabs seen will be placed on the London streets, and probably will suffice to convert the British-operated cabs, which are painted a somber black. One member of the House of Lords remarked:

"Why don't the bally Yanks hold the Stars and Stripes over parliament and have jolly well done with it?"

# PORTUGUESE REVOLT CONSIDERED ENDED

LISBON, Dec. 19.—In an official note today, the government stated that it considered the revolutionary movement terminated and warned that drastic measures would be taken to quell any further disturbances.

The destroyer Douro, the crew of which rebelled yesterday, has been disbanded and the minister of marine will disarm all the seamen implicated, as well as officers whose connection with disturbances of the public order has been proved, thus ridding the navy of restless elements.

# TWO LAREDO GIRLS RUN DOWN BY AUTO

LAREDO, Texas, Dec. 19.—Sergeants Sofia Alvarez and Avelda Gonzalez were painfully bruised when run down by an automobile driven by J. R. Sorensen on the street here today.

Their injuries were dressed at a local hospital. The accident occurred in a driving rain storm. Sorensen said he could not see because of the danger and when aware of the danger was unable to stop his car, because the slippery condition of the streets.

# BEER HALLS MADE INTO SOUP KITCHENS

BERLIN, Dec. 19.—Some of Berlin's old-time beer halls as well as some of the city's jazz restaurants, are to be taken over by the authorities and operated as feeding kitchens for the poor.


A limited number of dance halls are to continue, but all of these must pay a tax of one gold mark or so for an evening's entertainment. The funds raised by the tax are to be applied to charity.

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## DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



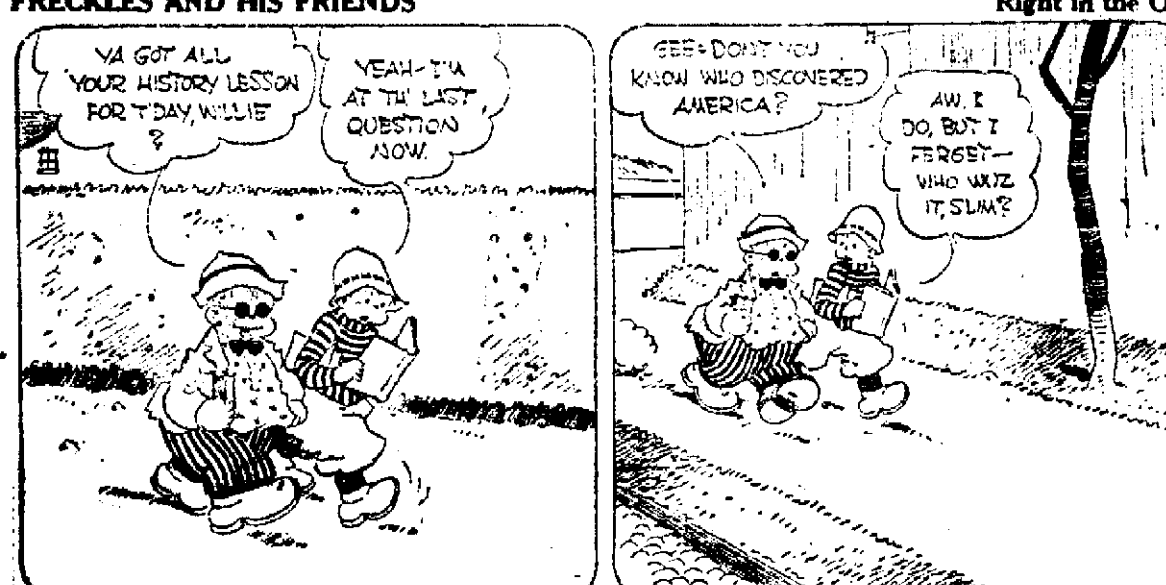
## There Is a Certain Girl



## BY ALLMAN



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## ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS



"I have two eyes, a nose and mouth."

"Oh, dear!" sighed the Riddle Lady. "The night the boys won't like my riddle today. On the grounds, either."

"Then it must be a little girl's riddle," cried Nancy.

"Yes, it is!" answered the Riddle Lady.

"All the better!" said Humpty Dumpty. "I like girls. I don't shiver when they come near me. They are much more gentle than boys."

"But girls do more cooking, so they break more eggs than boys," said Nick.

Humpty Dumpty gave him an indignant look and jerked down his white satin waistcoat. "A most unpleasant conversation," he declared. "Who started it, anyway?"

"I'm afraid you did yourself, Humpty Dumpty," laughed the Riddle Lady. "But there! There! We will begin our riddle and get our minds off eggs."

"I have two eyes, a nose and mouth, and two dear little ears. But shut my eyes will eye and shut my nose will nose and shut my mouth will mouth and shut my ears will ears. They can't cry any tears."

And though I'm proud, as proud can be, Of my nose little nose, I never caught a cold in it. And never smelled a rose. My mouth is cute and juicy and As any red ripe berry, I never tasted cake or bread. And never ate a cherry. I have five fingers on each hand. Yet never held a peach. And though most men say I'm dumb, A step I never took. I have a throat as white as milk, But never said a word. My hair is as soft as golden silk, But does not grow. I've heard, My heart, they say, is cold as stone. And yet I love you all. I never feel a bit alone. For I'm a riddle."

"A baby doll!" cried Nancy, quite rightly.

"Right!" smiled the Riddle Lady, handing her a doll for a prize.

"That was only a riddle, also," said the Riddle Lady. "The truth is dolls can do wonderful things."

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## CHILD'S STORY OF THE HUMAN RACE

CHAPTER 13  
The First Use of Metal

Men of science are not sure whether people were first civilized in Egypt or a certain country between Persia and Arabia. We shall speak of that northern country some weeks later. Now let us dwell on Egypt, the grand country which lay along either side of the Nile.

At a very early date, perhaps seven or eight thousands years ago, people in Egypt began to use metal tools in place of those of stone.

Metal was taken from ores dug out of the ground. When the ore was heated, metal ran out as it is now.

were hot strips. That is called smelting.

Copper was the most important metal. It was used for axes, knives, spears, and arrows. It was hammered into whatever shape was desired.

Later it was learned that if tin was melted with the copper, the mixture was much harder and tougher than plain copper. Such a mixture is called bronze.

Thousands of Egyptian pots and pans made from bronze have been found. They are now in museums in many parts of the world.

Both copper and bronze were used for making statues. The faces, hands, and feet of the statues were usually cast in stone or hard clay molds. The rest of the body was hammered into shape.

Gold was much used. The doors and lower parts of the walls of temples were often coated with gold. The coating was done with "gold leaf" that is, hammered into very thin sheets.

Smaller statues were sometimes made of solid gold or silver. Some of beautiful gold or silver vessels have been found inside mummy cases, or the ruins of Egyptian temples.

NEXT—Making the Nile Flood Help Man.

## S. C. MAHON LEADING MANUFACTURER, DIES

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Stephen C. Mahon, of Pittsburgh, president of the National Association of Manufacturers from 1918 to 1921, is dead at his home in Pittsburgh, of dilation of the heart after a six weeks' illness.

MAN SHOT IN NECK  
COUGHS UP BULLET

Shot in the neck, Frank Wood, 19, of Elkhdale, coughed up a .32 caliber bullet and is in the city hospital. He is not believed to be seriously injured, physicians say.

The accident happened while Wood, who is a son of Mrs. Carrie Ames of Elkhdale, was packing up preparatory to a hunting trip into Pennsylvania. The loaded rifle was in the car, and was discharged. The bullet passed through a bundle of clothing, then entered his neck and was deflected upward.

(4) Here is a metal worker working at a fire to make it burn intensely. In his right hand he holds tongs which are used in lifting bars of hot metal.

(5) This design was made from gold to decorate the table of an Egyptian. Notice the giraffe.

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**LEGION HUNTERS  
LICENSE FOR LOUISIANA**  
Major Fred St. Ouge has been designated as the Port Arthur representative for the Louisiana side in the parish, which can be obtained by any Port Arthurian desiring to cross the lake in quest of good game.

The license for non-resident hunters cost \$15 a pair, the mayor said today, and are ready for issuance.

## FLAG RESPECT TO BE TAUGHT

**Legion Plans Campaign in Port Arthur**

Formulation of definite plans for educating Port Arthurians in flag etiquette featured the first session of Port Arthur Legionnaires under their new officers Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock in the club rooms on Lake Shore Drive.

Pamphlets setting forth the rules and regulations of handling the flag and respecting it when displayed in parades on buildings and other public places, will be distributed throughout the city, and special exercises will be given in the schools, members of the Legion post decided.

At the next meeting of the Scoutmasters' training school, Monday, January 7 in Franklin school, a delegation from the Legion will demonstrate the proper ways to handle a flag, how it should and should not be used in decorations and various other modes of respect and uses of the national emblem, post officials said.

Six new members were added to Randolph Lambert post at the meeting Tuesday night and after the regular business session, the Legionnaires stayed for an informal social hour.

## PRESENT GARNER WITH VALUABLE TIME PIECE

BEAUMONT, Dec. 19.—Scott Tom Garner was presented with a valuable watchman watch, a jewel model, by members of the sheriff's department Wednesday morning. The watch is a thin model with the engraving, "Tom Garner, K. K. K. No. 7, Beaumont."

## TOPEKA BANKER HELD FOR EMBEZZLEMENT

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Leo A. Morgan, former cashier of the Union National bank of Topeka, Kas., was held today in \$50,000 bail following his arrest at the Hotel McVean on a warrant from Topeka.

Morgan is alleged to have embezzled \$500,000 in means of false entries.

## Must Weigh Wood

BEAUMONT, Dec. 19.—Wood users in the future will have to weigh any wood they sell in the city on the customer's demand, by virtue of an order passed by city commissioners Tuesday.

According to the commissioners, numerous instances of short measure had been called to their attention when the dealer would not guarantee the amount of wood he had sold and the purchaser would have to take his word for the amount he was getting. Wood dealers are also asked to stand aside their business as much as possible.

## Got Wrong Auto

BEAUMONT, Dec. 19.—The father of a prominent business man reported to police Wednesday morning that he had lost some Christmas presents and asked the police to find them.

The young lady stated she was shopping and hurriedly deposited gifts in an automobile which she believed was her own. She stated the store man told her the car was a Ford and that she had left it in the wrong car.

The owner of the car, a prominent business man, stated he had two bottles of perfume, a mirror and a silk petticoat.

## Call More Witnesses

BEAUMONT, Dec. 19.—S. J. Thomas for a number of months has been in the Scott Brown case in court. He is due to come up December 27 and is expected from the district clerk today Wednesday. All witnesses are from Call, Texas.

Fletcher Jones, attorney for Brown, Tuesday stated that he would ask for a change of venue in the case. "I am ready and willing to go anywhere right here in Beaumont," Jones said, "and in confidence I will clear my client."

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## BICYCLE EXPERT LEADS PARADE

**Fred St. Ouge Herd For Demonstrations**

Knee dress up the old bikes for the big bicycle parade and show Friday afternoon right after school on Franklin field.

Make em look like new, or just clean and shining with paint and bright work polished, but have the bicycles ready to "take the prize" in the show.

This is the invitation Port Arthur bicycle dealers are sending out today with the word, "that Fred St. Ouge, nationally known bicycle rider, arrived in Port Arthur Tuesday and will give demonstrations, instructions and exhibitions of good bicycle riding."

One of the stunts planned for the bike show at Franklin school Friday afternoon will be riding on a plank 150 feet long, two inches wide and one inch high. The rider, going the length of the plank, will be letting his bicycle run off to receive \$25.

Prizes for the bicycles also include models, trophies and valuable bicycle accessories. Not only the show and races, but groupings riding bikes, are invited to take part in the contests. Friday, bicycle dealers said.

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MOTHERS-IN-LAW

## D. DUBROC, 45, DIES IN HOSPITAL TUESDAY

D. Dubroc, 45 years, died Tuesday afternoon at Mary Gates hospital after an illness of many months. Funeral arrangements were not complete today, and the body was at the Grammer undertaking establishment. The deceased made his home at 929 Dallas avenue, and is survived by his widow and a son, C. W. Dubroc, of this city.

## CONGRESS TODAY

SENATE: Res. on bill for a certain sum of the interstate commerce committee.

HOUSE: No session.

Ways and means committee begins consideration of tax bill.

## TEXAS FOES TILT IN TRIAL OF FOX

(Continued from Page 1)

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"The Weaver woman?"

"How long was this before the killing of Captain Coburn?"

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"He was passed between a waitress and attorney when Preston Reynolds, Dallas attorney, was cross-examined by Attorney Newberry of Texas."

"That's a lie," shouted the witness.

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"And may I have the protection of the court from a veteran political enemy?" interposed Reynolds.

"Is it a fact an indictment is pending against you in Dallas county for embezzlement?"

"No," shouted Reynolds.

"No indictment can be returned except by a regular grand jury. The alleged indictment was an attempt against character assassination after I sued your gang," the witness shouted at Newberry.

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a number of disorderly houses and a raid made on one of the places. The prosecution then developed that Dora Bentley, an inmate, and another person in one of the houses were "bought" for the "insurgent" faction in the Klan internal war.

Chalmers Macdonald.

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regularly impaneled but it was specially selected with those who were unfriendly to certain Klan officials eliminated."

"You are hostile to the Evans faction, aren't you?"

Objections from prosecution prevented a reply.

Newberry interposed.

"Then you are a preacher without a church, an editor without a paper, and a lawyer without a practice," concluded Newberry.

A storm of objection was raised and the attorney was reprimanded by the court.

C. C. Cochran, policeman who arrested Fox after the shooting, testified Fox claimed Coburn and some thing or him, which would ruin him and which he was going to publish.

"He asked me if he was dead and I told him he was and he said he was glad of it," the officer said.

"He said he went to Coburn to try to get him out to publish the information and Coburn refused so he shot

him."

The conversation between Fox and the officer en route to jail was reported by J. M. Kelly.

"I asked the officer what had happened and he said Fox had killed a lawyer named Coburn."

"Fox spoke up and said 'yes I gave him every chance that a man could and he wouldn't do it,' said Kelly."

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## CHURCH OUTLINES 7 OBJECTIVES

Schools Head Addresses  
Congregational Bible Class

When objection of the Port Arthur school system formed the theme of the address of George M. Hays, superintendent of the schools, before the church club of the First Congregational church Tuesday night.

A chart showing the relation of the school system to various parts of the educational system was used by Hays with his address, and he named objectives as health, fundamental education, worthy leisure time, citizenship, healthy large membership and social training.

Port Arthur school system (as cited by Hays) were that this is the only one in Texas having a production officer; a member of the city and working in connection with the school system; and second, the physical education workers and teachers are on the Port Arthur school faculty, thus on any other school system.

After gathering at the church Tuesday night for their meeting, the club prepared their own supper of steak and vegetables. The next meeting of the club will be held the last Tuesday night in January, when it is planned to have a group of boys present.

## Neff Urges Troops in Enforcing Dry Laws

DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 18.—(AP)—Military and naval forces of the country should be utilized in enforcing prohibition, Governor Pat Neff declared in a speech before a mass meeting of officers here last night, called by the Dallas Posters association. The time for discussion of the prohibition question is passed, the governor declared, and it is now time to enforce the law.

Following the addresses, plans were made for forming a permanent state-wide organization, composed of ministers and laymen to combat the illegal liquor traffic.

## CHAS CABLE BRINGS MURDERER TO TEARS

HOUSTON, Dec. 18.—A Christmas card from his home in France broke the reserve of George Xennet, who laughed at death while a hero in the French army during the war, and begged for the death penalty after he had killed his sweetheart here several weeks ago.

Hardly scanning the message, Xennet broke down and wept for the first time since the killing. He would not divulge the contents of the cable.

## THIEVES GOT NEARLY ALL THIS MAN HAD

HOUSTON, N. J., Dec. 18.—No one but thieves took a money and jewelry but his gold tooth and underwear, as well as when John Lattner took a late day snooze at a First Avenue restaurant and saloon.

## When Betty a-Shopping Goes

By Betty

MY GOSH! Whoever heard of a singing and talking doll?

Well, of course, I never did, either, until I saw it this morning. It was the most adorable thing I ever saw, and would be a gift that any little girl, no matter what age, would enjoy having Santa bring her.

Why, you see, Emma's friend, Felling's, has a "Little Girl" and several other songs familiar to children, and recites the little poem, "The Two Buckle My Shoe." And last but not least—and you'll never believe this—she says her prayers, she starts off with "Now I lay me down to sleep," and ends her prayer with just the same thing every little girl ends hers with, "And bless mamma and papa."

She has real hair, too, and has the prettiest curls, and the cunningest bangs. She wears a pink dress, trimmed in white lace, and her cap is of harmonizing shade. She is priced at \$18 and included in the sale with her are six tiny boxed records by which she sings and talks.

ANOTHER pretty doll, which is greeted with exclamations of delight whenever a little girl sees her, is the "Mamma" doll. A very baby-like, she has real brown curls which are tied on the top of her head with a pretty yellow bow, which corresponds with her yellow dress, trimmed in stripes of yellow wool thread. Habbie has not forgotten this year, either, for Santa Claus has brought numerous dainty gifts to Port Arthur shops for the use of the home. There's the most adorable hot water bag for the baby enclosed in a hand-painted satin ribbon case. It is a lovely gift for a baby and costs only \$1.98.


AND what mother wouldn't love to get a baby book for her tiny baby? A darling little book, white and hand-painted with exquisitely colored flowers, either pink or blue, and sells for \$1.50. One slightly larger is priced at \$1.98.

A cunning little pair of baby shoes of georgette with crepe de chine lining sells for \$1.98 and other prices are slightly higher. The shoes come in pink, blue and white colors, and make a very pretty little gift for any wee little miss or some tiny boy.

Cunning rattlers with hand-painted designs, just the thing to amuse the baby with its rattle, sell for 50 cents. Bath rag dolls which can be put into the bath water when baby takes her bath are marked at 75 cents, and an infant novelty cloth, made of soft leatherette of gray with red trimmings is priced at 98 cents. A pretty collar, trimmed with shirred ribbon, sells for \$1.98 and would be appreciated by mother for baby's wardrobe. Such a gift would be just the thing to hang her little dress or suit on.

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## SEES END FOR CHURCH LINES

Christ to Save World When  
Forces Fail, Says Pastor

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 18.—(AP)—National lines will cease to exist within 25 years and the church will be divided into two camps—fundamentalists and modernists—in the opinion of Rev. Alvin H. Hanson, pastor of the Maywood Baptist church here.

"Supernaturalism, and not the virgin birth of Christ or evolution, is the cause of the internal wars in the churches," Rev. Hanson said in an interview today.

"Modernists seek to emancipate Christianity by cutting out everything divine and substituting a made of man-made religion. That is why many ministers who have lost their gospel message resort to such extremes as bareheaded dancing to attract laymen."

Although a fundamentalist, Rev. Hanson sees defeat of his own forces in the advance of modernism.

"Within 50 years the liberals will have won their battle and eliminated supernaturalism from religion," he said.

"Then religion will have met its Waterloo," Rev. Hanson declared the modernist victory would precipitate the return of Christ.

"Christ will return to this world when His own forces are defeated," the minister said.

"After the modernists have abolished religion and replaced it with a moral code, Christ will return and save the world for Christianity."

## LARGE AND KISS WED

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 18.—Nothing but happiness should come from the following combination, says the marriage license clerk here:

Miss Gladys Large was issued a license to wed Frank Kiss, Peasant, Saskatchewan, Canada, today.

## Wife Talks Too Much

Wife, not known how it is, said Mrs. Hattie, negro, on trial for attempted murder in a hospital court today, was given a \$100 fine for talking too much.

Hattie was charged with hitting her wife with a sewing machine, and gave an account of the fact that she couldn't make her keep still.

In answer to her question Judge Dyer said: "No, I can't say that I do know how it is for I have never had to do it."

Hattie was fined \$25 and sentenced to 30 days in jail on bond found guilty of the charge.

## CARPENTERS TO DEFER CHRISTMAS SESSIONS

Because of Tuesday being Christmas members of Carpenters' Local No. 640 will not meet, but will unite that meeting with New Year's eve's get-together in the Carpenters hall.

The financial secretary, December 31, will fill out funds from 6 o'clock until 9 o'clock when the meeting will give way to the festivities. Dancing and refreshments will be included in the program of the watch party meeting.

## 'I'M SORRY,' SAYS AUTO DRIVER TO HIS VICTIM

HOUSTON, Dec. 18.—Henrietta Thomas, negro, was run down by an auto, "I'm sorry," she said, "I'm sorry," the motorist said and drove off.

Work crew of children are assembled by Henry's old Mother, Mrs. Watson, said.

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## F.L.A. RE-ELECTS FITZWATER HEAD

National Convention Urges  
Aerage Reduction

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 18.—W. W. Fitzwater, Memphis, Tenn., was re-elected president of the Farm Labor Union of America, at its fourth annual convention here yesterday. With Fitzwater were elected T. W. Wilson, Louisville, Ky., vice president, and H. H. Clapper, Foreman, Ark., secretary-treasurer.

The convention adopted a resolution at its session today recommending that the executive board of the organization call as soon as possible an internal conference of all dirt farmer organizations in the world to be held in the United States to consider ways and means of limiting crop production and the consumer requirements.

The convention was expected to conclude its session Wednesday afternoon.



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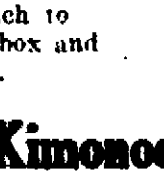
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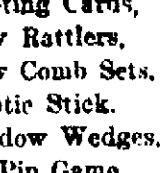
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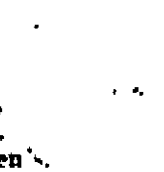
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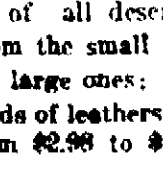
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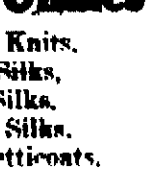
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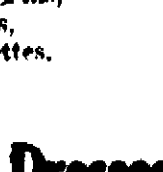
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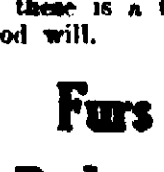
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Our showing of dresses for the holiday season exemplifies style and individuality; being all recent arrivals of which Mr. Goldberg purposefully made for the holiday trade; special prices prevail on all ready-to-wear.



**Furs**

You'll find the fur she has been wanting here in our stock; for we have chokers of every description to the large Kolinsky Fur Wrap. Prices reduced to average about 25 per cent off.

# Goldbergs

"Where Style Begins"



## FIGHT FOR TODAY

HINT AT THE EXISTENCE OF WICKEDNESS IN A LIGHT, EASY AND AGREEABLE MANNER, SO THAT NOBODY'S FINE FEELINGS MAY BE OFFENDED.—THACKERAY.

AND PINCHOT  
FRIENDLY ENEMIES

Senator H. Cabot Lodge and Governor Gifford of Pennsylvania are friendly enemies. Senator Lodge will not invade Pennsylvania to confer for delegates to the republican convention while Governor Pinchot will not invade Pennsylvania but will do all his work at home.

This should be pleasing to Mark Sullivan, the magazine writer who is picking the candidates for the political parties this year. Mark Sullivan votes the republican ticket with pain and regularity. He followed the flag of Theodore Roosevelt in all the campaigns made by that master mind of American politics.

Now Mr. Sullivan is a Pinchot republican and a McAdoo democrat. That is, if he had the naming of standard bearers he would place the republican banner in the hand of Pinchot and the democratic banner in the hand of McAdoo. Mark's latest discovery is that the negro voters of the north take very kindly to McAdoo and he is the only democrat that the colored brother praises.

Since 1919 more than a million negroes from the south have become citizens of the close states of the north, that is the states where the independent voters swing from one party to the other when they are on the rampage and today where the negro holds the balance of political power.

There will be a showdown at the polls next year and if all white republicans and the black republicans in those six states go to the polls on election and run true to form when they mark their ballots what will happen to the democrats and the donkey?

## COTTON FACTS

Consumption of cotton in American mills in October approximated six hundred thousand bales. This amount was larger than that for October approximated six hundred thousand brought up the volume. Exports for the first three cotton months of the year were 300,000 bales more than for the same period last year.

Mr. John Bull is buying American cotton. German millers are buying American cotton. Japs are buying American cotton. There will be no carry over in August 1st, 1934. Three years ago there was a carry over of nine million bales. This is what the drought and the boll worm has done for the American cotton grower.

He is taking down thirty-six cents now for the fleecy staple. If the farmers of the cotton belt run true to form next season they will plant an enormous acreage to cotton and unless the boll worm renders patriotic service there will be a bumper crop and a big slump in prices.

Then some cotton state will produce a southern Magnus Johnson and he will run amuck for a while, in a political sense.

## HERE TO STAY

Los Angeles residents spend more money in a month for regular purchases than do the people of the combined states of Colorado, Florida and Delaware. For one month the combined purchases of all descriptions made in Indianapolis, Louisville and Baltimore amounted to \$721,791,000 dollars and for the same month purchases of all kinds made in the California city amounted to \$721,839,000. In actual money expended in a single month Los Angeles had the largest percentage and the next highest of any city of more than one-half million population was made by Detroit. Los Angeles makes the moving pictures and Detroit makes the tin lizzies. Really the movie and the auto have come to stay so why bark at them.

## HOW DOES IT HAPPEN?

An investigating committee of preachers has made a report exonerating the Southern Methodist University, the Texas Woman's College at Fort Worth and the Southwestern University at Georgetown of all charges of heresy or unorthodox teachings. Also that every man in the science department of these institutions is thoroughly religious and every man is there to further the cause of Christian education. This follows on the heels of the report exonerating all the Baptist educational institutions of Texas and places Rev. J. Frank Norris and his fellow fundamentalists out in the cold world. There hasn't been a trace of the monkey found in any of the denominational colleges of the southwest. This is a humorous old world, to say the least.

According to the statisticians of the government more than a billion dollars was taken from the pockets of the American people by sharpshooting sharks in less than four years. In the good old days John Barleycorn got it. John was banished and then the sharpshooters got the New who is going to get the velvet next year?

W. M. and Mow his own horn and he was a member of the Texas Technological College. He was a Minuteman and asked to be a Minuteman except the election on election day.

LODGE READY TO  
KNIFE WORLD COURT

Senator Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts is chairman of the senate committee on foreign affairs. Senator Lodge is the statesman who sent the Wilson League of Nations to its grave. Now the Harding-Coolidge World Court proposal is before the senate foreign affairs committee and Lodge has his knife ready to let out its life blood.

Senator Lodge has the virtue of consistency. He is opposed to entangling alliances with foreign nations. He whipped Wilson but Wilson was a democrat and the republicans controlled the senate. Now he is ready to give battle to a president in his grave and a president at the white house who are responsible for the World Court proposal.

Three years ago the voters of America returned a popular majority of seven millions for the republican standard bearers and against the democratic standard bearers in a campaign where Cox and Roosevelt made the League of Nations their paramount issue. Now what is going to happen next year?

## Quillen's Paragraphs

The junker who says the Fatherland needs a helm doubtless means a Wilhelm.

State's rights flourish well in an atmosphere filled with howls for federal aid.

Too much chicken and real salad is made on a fifty-fifty basis—one chicken to one calf.

When you hear a man say that all he wants is to be left alone, he means that he has got him.

Getting lean is just a matter of will power. Fat is no more than the triumph of matter over mind.

The family circle can endure almost any kind of strain except that imposed by an eternal triangle.

There will be everlasting peace soon after people learn to stand and unsway when a pacifist passes by.

Constitutional rights are those that can't be denied you if you have a lawyer of sufficient reputation.

It must be a source of great gratification to the Crown Prince to read that the Allies think him a menace.

Get acquainted with great men. Finding out how insignificant they are will encourage you to greater effort.

The mere citizen is much like the statesman except that in his case patriotism is an emotion instead of a trade.

If you teach a boy that money isn't everything, don't blame him if he takes a white-collar job instead of lugging bricks.

It's a disappointing world, and by the time a mortal comes to believe in Santa Claus he begins to believe in politicians.

When you speak of the old dances now, people don't know whether you mean the waltz and two-step or those people danced last week.

If at last you are persuaded that all things in the world are often save your previous self, you are a young intellectual.

There may be a moral difference between the thief and waste of public money, but it isn't sufficient to help the taxpayer much.

A statistician says one person in each twelve is working for the government, but doesn't say how the eleven dodge their taxes.

When a man says that, after all, the first business of a college is to impart knowledge, he means that his favorite eleven got licked.

Correct this sentence: "Aw, manna," wailed little Willie, "do you mean that every single bit of that turkey hash is gone?"

## TOM SIMS SAYS

Well, Coolidge announces he is running for president, but it didn't quite come as a bombshell.

Cleveland gas is so low it needs a political convention now more than it will next spring.

Congress shows 66 bald heads in the house of representatives and there may be many more soon.

Long debates are expected in congress. It's a bitter session. Our language will suffer heavily.

With a million other things he could worry about one congressman has a bill on canary birds.

Mellon announces paper money designs will be changed. Let's hope the new bills look longer.

Average auto uses 125 gallons of gas a year, barring accidents.

Your lot could be much worse. A man in a Seattle jail has his wife and Christmas is coming.

Fifty years ago today people were just as surprised to find Christmas was so near.

Only a few more shopping months before bathing suits.

Third party is talking politics. May be all right, but third parties are like innocent bystanders.

Wonder what the friendly powers will do in Europe?

How can the way we expect a federal bonus if it has been spent for War Department funds?

News from France, France is selling her old forts. We could buy one and try the St. Louis case in it.

Turkey has become a republic. All it reminds us of Thanksgiving turkeys are democratic.

News from England, Her birth rate is declining. This is because her prices are not declining.

A London professor is trying to learn what makes mountains. That's easy. The valley's between them.

Santa Gots a Handache



## YOUR HEALTH

By Dr. C. C. Robinson

## LASTING DISEASES

No doubt you are more or less familiar with some people who have what may be called lasting diseases. Off times these people, while incurable, either in their own minds or in reality, are well enough to be up and around.

Consumption is perhaps the best known of this group of long lived diseases. The question is often asked, "Is it curable?" While sunlight and open air will offset, or render comparatively harmless, any build of consumption which may be deposited out of doors, still the germs are spread and will invade the lungs and lungs if opportunity permits.

The sputum, if not very carefully and hygienically burned, will surely scatter its bacilli, which may be inhaled.

Living with consumptives in the same house is not particularly dangerous if the strictest regulations concerning the hygiene habits are carried out.

Great care must be exercised at or near the end of life of a consumptive person. It is by this class that precautions are not so closely observed by patient or those in attendance, and the danger is great.

Persons who are suffering from tubercular diseases must avoid using the same towels, garments, bed clothing or other things in the household in order that disease may not be spread to other members.

Don't cough when it can possibly be avoided. A drink of water or weak tea may aid you in controlling the habit or desire. The play safety first, always hold a cloth in front of your mouth while coughing.

The air conditions in a home where consumptives may live with others must be very carefully changed and kept at the right temperature—65-68 degrees. Sleeping with any tubercular person in the same room is dangerous.

The living room of any such person should from time to time, say once in two weeks or every week, be thoroughly disinfected with formalin. This will insure a healthy air condition and prevent the spread of other germs carrying any bacilli which may infect food or slight wounds.

## THIS LITTLE OLD WORLD

BY MASON DIXON  
NEA Service Writer

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 15.—A well known writer recently asserted that in this city of beautiful home gardens you could tell the homes of the first families of the south and of the real aristocracy by the flowers they grew.

A recent survey shows that he was not far wrong. All along the beautiful stretches of Esplanade Avenue, where reside the old Creole families, their gardens bloom with rosemary, yucca, yucca, magnolia and violets.

Surrounding the homes of the more recent arrivals and the new rich are gardens, profuse with tremendous chrysanthemums.

New Orleans cops have been advised, if they have to beat up a person or probe the wounds in their fists made by the teeth of prisoners.

This is due to the critical condition of Arthur L. Hatter, policeman who is beating up a prisoner on his hand on the main street. Blood poisoning set in and the policeman's arm is in such condition that amputation may be necessary.

Moving picture shows are open, restaurants and cabarets invite patronage, soda fountains do a tremendous business, and according to statistics you may get an intoxicating drink in 35 seconds in New Orleans on Sunday.

But you have to go through a lot of red tape and break all the laws to get a cigar or a cigarette.

Around every corner is a dealer who sells tobacco, but all cigar stores are closed and these purveyors of nicotine are now called "cigarsellers."

Then there are other kinds of "leggers." According to the law, you may shoot 25 wild ducks, but you can't

sell them. Many pot hunters evade the law. The conservation department

calls these "duck hunters."

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There may be found little paperbacks, novels and booklets with the most fanciful and bizarre illustrations. One of these shown back in the old home town, is sufficient to insure that the possessor did have one big time in the "City That God Forgot," even if he remained in his hotel, except when he went to some busy day for food.

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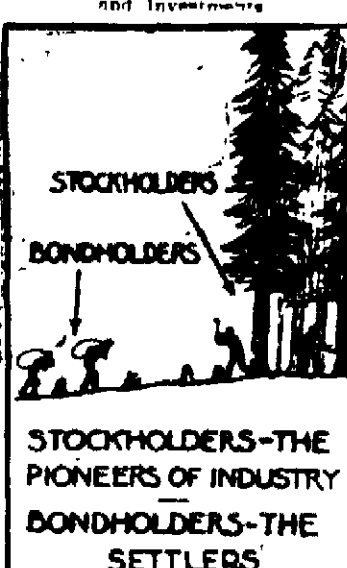
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Your Money  
AT WORK

Brief but Important Lessons in Finance, Markets, Stocks, Bonds and Investments



STOCKHOLDERS—THE PIONEERS OF INDUSTRY  
BONDHOLDERS—THE SETTLERS

High income taxes are arising rich men out of stocks into tax exempt bonds. We have become a nation of bondholders. What does this mean to the average man?

Stockholders are the promoters of industry, while the bondholders are the settlers. They are partners in large scale productions, which has resulted in reduced costs of living.

Bondholders buy a mortgage on property, which stockholders have already built, thus providing the stockholders with more capital to go ahead again. If they fail, the bondholders foreclose and take over the property of the stockholders.

Since there is more risk in holding stock, only the man with a surplus can afford to be a stockholder. The man who is the logical one to take that risk, yet he is not likely to, when he has to pay 50 per cent of his profits in taxes.

Consequently, high salaries are tending to drive rich men's money into tax exempt bonds, where it pays no income tax. Unless the man with small incomes will risk their savings in purchasing, there is likely to be but little progress and the cost of living will rise.

The "big fellows" are optimistic about 1934. Judge Gary predicts it will be a better year for business than 1933.

Eugene G. Grace, president of Bethlehem Steel, expects 1934 to be "a repetition of 1933, and that business conditions in the two years will prove similar."

Even more comforting is the fact that the habitual crepe hangers are quiet.

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BLACK OXEN  
A GERTRUDE ATHERTON

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Clavering, expecting to find her dissolved in tears, and violent as his sympathy for her was, rejoicing that she was the part to comfort her, followed her precipitately. But she was standing by the table with scornful lips and eyes.

"I thought you'd be all broken up," he stammered. Tears of disappointment almost rose to his own eyes.

She laughed shortly. "If I do you suppose I would pay them so great a compliment? But what a ridiculous exhibition they made of themselves. It seems incredible."

"But surely you must have been hurt—and stabbed. It isn't possible that you weren't!"

"Oh, yes, I was stabbed, but I think I was even more amused. I felt sorry for the poor things. I certainly never saw a more comically naked exhibition of human nature. It was worth coming to America for. Nor do I blame them. No doubt I should have felt the same at their age—although I hope I should even then have expressed myself in a fashion a trifle more subtle, a little less primal."

"Good God! Are you always so—so rational?"

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o'clock for one of their rare tramps. She wore high-heeled boots of soft leather, a short skirt and jersey and a soft hat; and if she had met any of her guests of that memorable dinner they would have looked profoundly thoughtful, and pronounced whatever hope of having soared her to the bone they may have cherished. She strode through the woods above the Falls, beside Clavering with high head and sparkling eyes, her arms swinging like a schoolboy's. It was evident even to him, who had waited for her so anxiously, that she had rubbed a sponge over her memory. She was in high spirits and looked as if she had not a care in the world.

There was a soft mist of green on the trees of the wood, a few birds had already migrated northward, their own world-old wireless having warned them of the early awakening of spring after an unusually mild winter, and they were singing their matins.

She did not seem inclined for more than desultory conversation, but she had the gift of making silence eloquent, and Clavering, his fears banished, although by no means at peace, gave himself up to the pleasure of the moment. They walked briskly for several miles, then had their breakfast at a roadside inn; and both were so hungry that they talked even less than before. But there was little need for words between them; the current was too strong, and both were merely vital beings to whom companionship and healthy exercise were the highest good at the moment.

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tonight for my years—those years so crowded with training and experience? Who better prepared than I to hold my own against a lot of raw Americans?"

"That is the first human thing you've said. Raw? Wasn't it Darwin who said that we are all such a short distance, in time, removed from our common savage ancestors that it is a wonder we don't revert often to them? They were plain undifferentiated females. I believe men are more civilized than women."

"Oh, no, but they revert on the grand scale. I cannot say I was totally unprepared—not for such a concerted and shocking exhibition, of course; but I've felt their antagonism and expected to be dropped gradually from their net. Of course, this is the end, definitely. However," she shrugged her shoulders again. "I have enjoyed the New York which seems to have changed in so many ways since my day, and all dramas should have a proper 'curtain,' should they not? Is your own play finished by the way?"

"Oh!" He turned his back on her and leaned on the mantelpiece, dropping his head on his arm. He had never felt as far away from her when he had been unable to learn even her name. What need had she of him or any man?

Mary gave him a quick comprehending glance, and came out of her isolation. She went over to him, turned him around, and took his face between her hands.

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"It seemed to me that nothing else mattered. We two are in a world of our own. How could they seem more to me than the busting of so many brains less insects? Forget it, and I shall."

But although he was consoled, he wondered, as he left the house, if he would ever feel more depressed in his life. She might love him, but what else could he ever be to her but a lover? His manhood rebelled. If she had only flung herself weeping into his arms, if for once he could have felt himself stronger than she—indispensable.

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Port Arthur, Texas, Promoter Fort Seeks Assyrian Star to Clash With Actor On 21st

# Western University Pirates Coming Here to Play Gulf

## Pickett Announces Clash Tuesday for 27th of the Month

Varsity Squad Lines Up Game With Beaumont High Contingent Also En Route to Franklin Gym; Golf Crew Undergoes Training

By BILL ARCHER

SOUTHWESTERN University's Pirates will invade the peace of Franklin Gym in a finish bill against the Good Gulf quintet, Thursday, December 27.

J. M. Pickett, manager of the Good Gulf contingent which again this season is being coached by Todda Forbes, mentor who so successfully put over his team with the Gulfies in 1922-23, made the announcement last night following receipt of a message from the Pirates asserting that Pickett's proposals were satisfactory and that they would be here to play on the 27th.

They clash with Coach Nemo Herrera's Purple Players in Beaumont prior to their invasion here, it is reported, making the loop to Port Arthur following the tilt in the "Nawth End."

The Gulfies have been rounding into shape for several weeks. Between 15 and 25 players responded to Manager Pickett's call the first of the season, included among whom is some of the best material in Port Arthur.

Several players left over from last season who showed an excellent game with the Gulf are back on the court again this season and will probably participate in the initial clash of the year against the Pirates.

The game will probably be called to order around the hour of 8 o'clock, although Pickett was reticent on the subject of playing time and ticket sales last night. It is understood the Gulfies will undergo considerable hard training prior to the advent of the University boys, and that Coach Forbes will make a strong effort to have his contingent in crack condition for the invasion.

No positions have been picked yet, the manager said last night, and "this far from the game," it is not definitely known just who will represent the Gulfies on the field the 27th.

The game, however, coming as a holiday issue, should attract a host of fans to the sidelines, and should result in one of the snappiest attractions of the opening clashes.

## Persistence Has Made Golf of Present Day Plu-Perfect

A ball, a club and a hole in the ground 4 1/4 inches in diameter will give the average golfer plenty to think about and there need be little occasion for worry over the kind of a club or the size and weight of the ball. The game is and ever has been played with ball and club. There is no such thing as a golf gun. The sphere is propelled from tee to cup by human force and skill and so long as that is done why worry? Why all the excitement?

Away back in the hard ball era when the game was young in America a group of golfers were gathered about the rustic "nineteenth" hole late one afternoon. It was at a large organization, the party having just finished one of the in-

ter-club team matches so popular at the time, (type of the visiting players who had lost a close match) blamed the reverse on his failure to carry a mallet which crossed the fairway 400 yards in front of the eighteenth tee.

At that time, especially among amateurs, a clean carry of 150 yards was something of an undertaking, although accomplished eight or ten times. This particular golfer was capable of keeping the ball in the air for that distance, but the knowledge that so much depended upon the shot may have had a bit to do with its failure. At any rate, while others were commiserating with him one member of the party, probably more in jest than earnest, remarked:

"We're only learning; just scratching on the outside. You'll see the day when 250-yard carries are no more difficult than those of 150 are now."

They looked at the speaker with expressions that said as plainly as words, "You're crazy."

But the chump who had lost the match at the home hole through failure to make that 150-yard carry, spoke up, "You may or you may not be right, but if practice, experimenting and study count for anything I'm going to make that ball travel before I get many years older."

There was the situation in a nutshell. Golfers had their limitations. Many were unable to get distance through lack of knowledge, but it

is reasonable to assume that even the others who were able to drive further, also had much to learn. Since then millions of dollars have been expended in various ways, though all to the one purpose—improving the conditions; simplifying the task of getting the ball into the hole in the least possible number of strokes.

Then why shouldn't one reap the benefits not only of years of personal application, but also from knowledge handed down by others who have already made discoveries? A club or a ball from time to time turned out a little better than the previous brands seems all in line with evolution of the game, and is to be expected.

When it comes to acquiring a

firmer grasp of things, it is the accumulation of the fruits of attention to the most minute details which eventually carry the average golfer against the most formidable barriers. It is often the omission of the trifling something that spells defeat.

The old masters played the game on the best lines known to them. But there was much that they did not know, much beyond the horizon of attainment which defied their efforts to reach perfection. Development has come in all departments of golf equipment, balls, clubs, etc. Who can say that golf is not a better game with the new steel shaft which has met with so much success?

## RENTROP DOWN TO 175 CLASS

Will Meet Ecklund in Little Rock Arena

Special to The News. LITTLE ROCK, Dec. 10.—Charlie Rentrop announced this morning that he is down to the 175-pound weight and all set for the go with Clarence Ecklund at the Kemper theatre next Monday night, when he expects to wrest the lightweight title from the Wyominglander.

In talking to a reporter this morning Charlie said: "I am feeling fine and in the best of condition. I am not any the weaker because of having reduced to the light-heavyweight poundage, and am confident of winning the championship Monday."

"I won the title from Ecklund in Sheridan, Wyo., on December 22, last year at the 175-pound weight, and why can't I do it in Little Rock? The showing I made against the champion recently at each weigh-in increases my confidence in my ability to win his title."

Ecklund, who is training at Beaumont, Texas, will reach this city tomorrow afternoon. He has been training with two heavyweights and evidently desires to get in as much training as possible before entering the match at the Kemper.

There is quite a demand for a match between the winner of the Monday bout and some other wrestler yet to be selected. Beaumont, Texas, and Arkansas City are after the "go," and will bid against Promoter C. Mitchell in his efforts to book a match between the winner and Billy Edwards.

In all, however, they both disappeared without trying further.

Ad Stone, the ex-marine, who recently beat M. E. Burke in a star bout at one of the small clubs here, fights Billy Shade of California, in the welterweight division. Two former amateur heavyweights, Charlie McKenna and Dan O'Dowd, also are on the card.

## Billy Evans Says

Chance and Haughton Two Peerless Leaders New York Expected Much A Strange Coincidence

Frank Chance, back in the days when he was winning pennants and world championships for the Chicago Cubs, was known as the "peerless leader." The baseball world looked on him as one of the truly great managers of the game. When at the very height of his career, Chance decided to retire and hid himself to California, probably to spend the rest of his days in peace. No more would he have to worry about pitching selections and pinch hitters.

While Chance was winning fame and a bank roll with the Chicago Cubs, Percy Haughton, and equally prominent figure in the football world, was doing big things for Harvard on the gridiron. If Chance deserved the title of "peerless leader," Percy Haughton was entitled to be known as the "supreme coach." While Chance was winning championships for Chicago, Haughton was upholding the supremacy of Harvard. Like Frank Chance, Haughton stepped down and out when at the top of his career.

They say it is the wise fellow who can retire from the athletic world while still an outstanding figure, rather than wait until he is classed as a has-been and be forced out. In that respect Chance and Haughton proved to be wise men of sport, but unfortunately neither could stay retired, and kept undimmed the remarkable record made on the diamond and gridiron.

Chance, after being out of the game for several years, came back to take charge of the New York Yankees. The memory of the "peerless leader" made him think that New York would immediately become a pennant contender in the American League. Chance inherited a bad ball club that had no chance to finish any higher than it did under his direction. So much was expected of him, however, that the poor showing of the club was a distinct disappointment, not only to the fans but Chance himself. Although he had a two-year contract, he resigned shortly before the close of the second season. He said he had enough and was through forever. Once more he came back to manage the Boston Red Sox in 1923, and next year he is to lead the Chicago White Sox. He simply couldn't stay retired.

When Percy Haughton left Harvard, he said he was done forever as a gridiron mentor. For years his salaries failed to tempt him. University of Columbia, in an effort to get back on the football map, made Haughton an offer that he simply couldn't refuse. The coming of Haughton to New York was hailed as the very man needed to restore lost football prestige. Columbia so far has failed as dimly in its first year comeback as did the New York Yankees.

The failure of the New York Yankees under Chance, and the disappointing showing that Columbia has made with Haughton's coach, is no reflection on the ability of either man. Chance is a great manager, Haughton is a strategic coach. Chance's failure in baseball and Haughton's poor start in football can be directly traced to lack of material. A master mind to direct means nothing if the ability to execute is lacking.

Francisco, and ending two days later at Los Angeles. He will also play in the California open championship tournament at Los Angeles.

## New York Displeased By Unfair Decisions at Big Bouts By Poor Officials

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Restoration of the old system of having boxing decisions given by the referee may come in New York as a result of a weird decision which gave Johnny Dundee the junior lightweight title of Jack Bernstein.

The commission can't do anything about it and is placed in a position where it can't say anything about its judges or referees, but it has been learned that the commissioners feel that the system is wrong.

The bad decision, in the opinion of most fight fans, was the result of an error in judgment on the part of the two judges rather than a scheme to swing the decision for a mercenary purpose.

The betting did look funny, but it can be explained, casually at least. Dundee has always fought his best fights when he weighed around 125 pounds, and when it was learned he had made that weight for Bernstein, the bettors thought more of his chances.

BRITTON COMES BACK. NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Jack Britton, former welterweight champion, did a comeback and won a 10-round bout from Knockout Phil Kaplan, New York. Britton won all the way.

GENARO WINS. DETROIT, Dec. 10.—Frankie Genaro, flyweight champion, easily outpointed Joe Clifford, Philadelphia, in a 10-round bout here last night.

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## ASSYRIAN MAY MEET GRECIAN

Rogers Unable to Reach Here Before 29th

Stanley Rogers, Minot, North Dakota giant who claims a win and a draw over George Actor, the Port City prodigy, cannot reach Port Arthur by the 21st. This was the discouraging news received by the sport editor this morning from Promoter Will Port, who announced that because of a match in Topeka, Kan., Rogers will be unable to reach this city before the 29th of the month.

In his stead, however, will probably come a sensational Assyrian grappler, fast, speedy, termed a "world beater" and "good enough to tumble George Actor in a hurry." He answers to the name of Umar Ojle, and he is working the south under the direction of Gus Blumfield, former New York sports writer.

The Assyrian is now in Houston, and Promoter Port, immediately upon receipt of telegraphic communication from Rogers, this morning announcing that he would be unable to reach Port Arthur by the 21st, because of a scheduled match in Topeka, entered telephonic communication with Ojle, and the possibilities are that the Assyrian wrestling may be carried to appear here the 21st.

Ojle weighs in at the present time at 185. He has been in Houston a week training out on several heavyweights for a series of engagements in the east which he is eager to make this winter. If Promoter Port is successful in obtaining him, the match will be on a par with that planned between Actor and the North Dakota giant. Port says he believes it will be a better match and speaks highly of the Assyrian whom he has seen perform.

Meanwhile Actor continued his strenuous workouts today, and said when informed that Rogers would not be here before the 21st that "I will take on whoever Port obtains. Yes, I've heard about this Assyrian, and he's good."

## MICKEY WALKER IN WORSE ROW

Starts Wrangle With One-Man Commission

By United Press. TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 10.—Mickey Walker, welterweight champion of the world, already under six-month suspension in New Jersey, his home state, is in still deeper trouble with Newton J. K. Hughes, the one-man boxing commission. Notwithstanding his suspension, Walker is said to have boxed a fight with Tommy Thompson, at Paterson, last Wednesday.

As Walker's suspension still had not expired, it is said he may have been fined \$100 for a double-dose of the fight.

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## Van Andrus Heads City Caging League

With Van M. Andrus chosen as their chairman, the City Basketball League has come into being with seven contingents listed in the organization, and play for the city basketball title will probably start within the next few weeks.

At a prolonged conference Andrus was chosen president and "Country" Kelley elected vice president of the league. Other officers have not yet been named, but it is understood a secretary and treasurer will be chosen in the near future.

Clubs signing up for the league included the following:

Baptists, North Methodists, South Methodists, Canadian Club, Casays, Algonquins, and PAB.

## ARTHUR HAVERS INVADES STATES

British Champ Scheduled For Series of Games

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Arthur Havers, the golfing son of a golfing daddy who will bring his British open championship to America this week, will sweep the country from Florida to San Francisco, playing many exhibition matches and contests along the way.

Havers' tour apparently will be an attempt to make all the money in the country in a few short months. He is bringing a manager to watch the tour, and around the long-go, and a golfing partner to furnish the contrast between a champion and a mere champion. James C. Kennedy, holder of the French open championship, will play Bill Brennan to the firm of Havers.

Havers is a professional who found golf with discarded sticks at a golf club which employed his father. Early last summer he came out of obscurity with a rush and won the British open championship from the largest and most distinguished field of the year.

He begins his American show with an exhibition at Pinehurst, N. C., and meets Sarazen, holder of the American professional title, in a 22-hole match beginning January 18 at San

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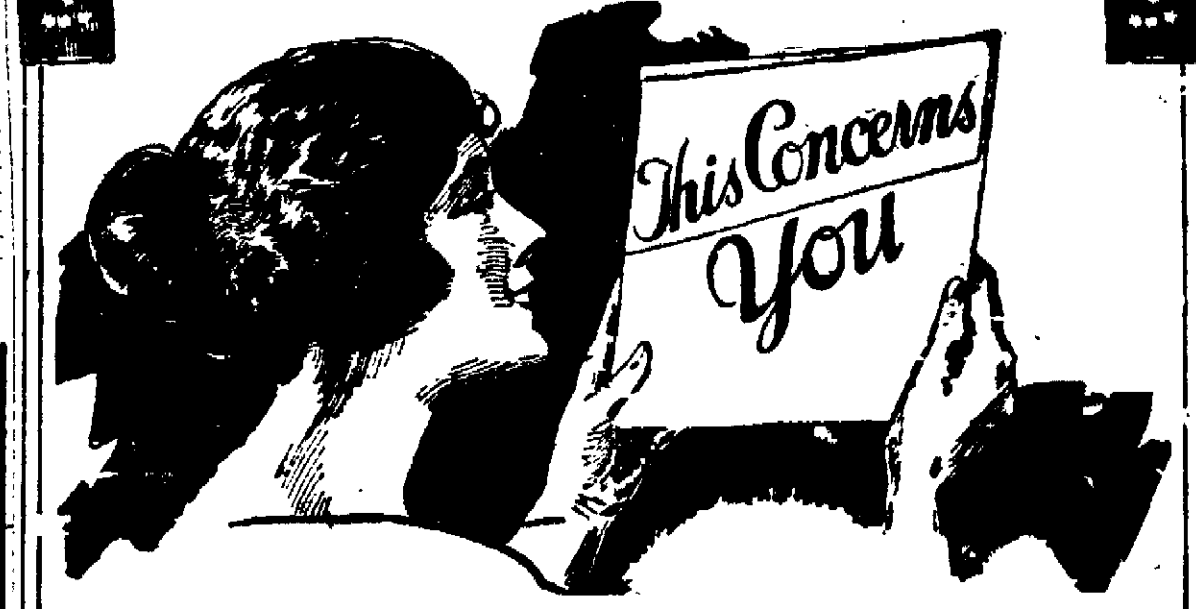
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# MAH-JONGG

BY J. P. BABCOCK

Leading Mah Jongg Authority and Author of Babcock's Red Book of Rules

The object of the game in Mah Jongg is twofold: to score as much as possible, and to win. (or Mah Jongg) the hand. As you progress in the science of the game, you will discover that sometimes these two are inconsistent, and you will purposely fail to Mah Jongg when by so doing you can increase your score. Those who have played bridge will find in this an analogy to the twofold purpose of that game, to win, and to score as high as possible. Sometimes in bridge a player purposely loses "tricks" to attain his honor score by doubling an opponent. So in Mah Jongg.

This playing to the score is something of which one becomes proficient by practice and familiarity with scoring values and for the beginner it is well to play each hand to Mah Jongg, if possible.

Which brings us to the question: What is Mah Jongg?

A Mah Jongg, or winning hand, is one which contains four sets of three and a pair.

**Definition**  
We will dispose of the pair first. A pair is composed of two dragons of the same color; two Winds of the same direction (that is, two Souths, two Easts, etc.); or two of the same dragon in the same suit (that is, two Bamboos, two Reds, etc.); two Characters, two Flowers, etc.



Illustrating how Mah Jongg is played

## DATE FOR FAIR IN DALLAS SET

State Grounds to Be Open Oct. 11 to 26

DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 19.—Date for the 1924 State Fair of Texas at Dallas are Oct. 11 to 26, inclusive, as announced at the annual meeting of the International Association of Fair and Exposition at Chicago, Dec. 7.

Arrangement of dates for the various fairs on the Mid-West circuit was also made, and the arrangement is declared, works out to better advantage than for years in the matter of shipment and exhibition of show cattle at the several expositions.

Thirteen fairs are included in the Mid-West circuit, dates for which are:

Missouri State fair, Sedalia, Aug. 19 to 29.

Iowa State fair, Des Moines, Aug. 20 to 29.

Nebraska State fair, Lincoln, Aug. 21 to Sept. 5.

Kansas State fair, Topeka, Sept. 8 to 18.

Kansas State fair, Hutchinson, September 12 to 19.

Oklahoma State fair, Oklahoma City, Sept. 20 to 27.

Oklahoma Fair, Muskogee, Sept. 27 to Oct. 4.

Texas - Oklahoma fair, Wichita Falls, Sept. 28 to Oct. 5.

Arkansas State fair, Little Rock, Oct. 6 to 11.

State fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 11 to 26.

Texas Cotton Palace, Waco, Oct. 25 to Nov. 9.

State fair of Louisiana, Shreveport, Oct. 20 to Nov. 9.

South Texas fair, Beaumont, Nov. 13 to 22.

Secretary W. H. Stratton and E. J. West, past president and director of the State Fair of Texas, were among the representatives of Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana fairs, who attended the Chicago meeting.

This year's new life insurance is eleven millions, which certainly is a lot of arguing.

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## BRITISH SHIPS IN TRADE TOUR

Warships to Cement Relations Abroad

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Six British warships left Liverpool the other day on the most extended cruise ever attempted by a naval squadron.

The cruise, which will extend over 300 days and carry six vessels into all seas, is a part of the great "Empire program" announced at the recent Empire conference in London. The ships will visit all the important ports in the expansion of British trade.

The squadron consists of the battle-cruiser Hood and Repulse, and the light-cruisers Delhi, Dauntless and Dragon.

Leaving Liverpool the British men-of-war voyaged directly south to the Cape, where Christmas will be spent. The squadron will then steam northward, up East Africa and across the Indian Ocean to Singapore, which will be reached on Feb. 14.

Crossing the seas of the Asiatic Archipelago, Sydney, Australia, will be reached about Easter time.

Thence the force will continue direct across the Pacific to Honolulu, and into Canadian waters, Vancouver and Esquimaux, where these will be a stop-over of about two weeks, extending into July. Then the squadron will cover Canada and the northwest coast, proceeding through the Panama canal, the light-cruisers going toward the Yalparaiso and Callao, to round Cape Horn. The cruisers will visit La Plata and proceed north to Halifax before beginning the last leg of the voyage back to England across the Atlantic.

This is the first time in forty years that a British naval squadron has cruised around the world. A great part of the first one was done under sail.

**BODY OF MISSING CHAUFFEUR FOUND**

PEERLESS, N. Y., Dec. 19.—The body of Ralph Davis, chauffeur of Lake Mohican, who vanished two weeks ago, was found in the lake, three miles from here. Two weeks ago Davis went out in a canoe at night when the water was rough and the wind was blowing hard. Later the canoe was found floating on the lake. It was suspected the occupant had been drowned and a careful search was made, but no trace of the body was found.

**DALLAS CHURCH SUE BY MAN AND WOMAN**

DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 19.—Claiming to have received injuries while riding in an elevator, October 12, at the Central Presbyterian church, Miss O. E. Rushing and W. C. Bagdale filed suits in Dallas county court Tuesday against the church for \$11,000.

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## AUSTRIAN CATTLE RAVAGED BY FLIES

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Dec. 19.

Australian cattlemen are deeply concerned over the reports that a pest known as the buffalo fly has been ravaging many herds. The pest is similar to a fly that causes extensive losses among herds in India, Africa and the East Indies, and it is said the damage will exceed that caused by the dreaded tick in Queensland and Northern New South Wales, unless prompt action is taken to check it.

Sir George Knibbs, director of the Institute of Science and Industry, has made a cursory inquiry into the matter. He said the pest will spread to other parts of Australia unless preventive measures are taken immediately. The result would be an economic loss that would run into millions of pounds sterling, and years would be required to eradicate the flies. At Kimberly, S. A., a large

gathering of publicists meeting to urge the Federal authorities to appoint a specialist to direct eradication of the flies.

**GIRL, 18, IS FOUND GUILTY AS ROBBER**

WHEELING, W. Va., Dec. 19.—Miss Carolyn Alloway, an 18-year-old Martins Ferry, O., girl, was sentenced by Judge Robinson here to serve ten years in the penitentiary after she pleaded guilty to participating in a highway robbery.

Donald Schane of Martins Ferry, and Thomas Gordon of Boston, were sentenced to serve 25 years each in the penitentiary for the part they played in the holding.

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